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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON

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BRADLY CUNNINGHAM,

PLAINTIFF,

No. 3:17-cv-01686-SI

vs.

MOTION TO COMPEL DISCOVERY

SONY PICTURES ENTERTAINMENT,
a corporation; COLUMBIA TRISTAR,
a corporation; NATIONAL BROADCASTING
COMPANY AKA NBC UNIVERSAL, both corporations;
and, JANE AND JOHN DOES 1 – 100,

DEFENDANTS.

I MOVE THIS COURT FOR AN ORDER TO COMPEL DEFENDANT National
Broadcasting Company AKA NBC UNIVERSAL ("NBC") to provide answers to the
FIRST SET OF WRITTEN INTERROGATORIES FOR DEFENDANT NBC (attached),
and base this motion on my attached affidavit and the following:

Parties may obtain discovery regarding any matter, not privileged, that is
relevant to the claim or defense of any party. Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(b)(1). Information is
relevant for purposes of discovery if "it is reasonably calculated to lead to the

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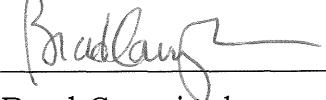
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discovery of admissible evidence." Id. Relevant information encompasses "any matter that bears on, or that reasonably could lead to other matter that could bear on, any issue that is or may be in the case." Oppenheimer Fund, Inc. v. Sanders, 437 U.S. 340, 351, 98 S. Ct. 2380, 57 L. Ed. 2d 253b(1978). Because discovery is designed to define and clarify the issues in the case, it is not limited to the precise issues raised in the pleadings. Id., at 350-51. "The question of relevancy should be construed "liberally and with common sense" and discovery should be allowed unless the information sought has no conceivable bearing on the case." Soto v. City of Concord, 162 F.R.D. 603, 610 (N.D.Cal.1995), quoting Miller v. Pancucci, 141 F.R.D. 292, 296 (C.D.Cal.1992). **2017 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 56284::Becker v. Carney::April 12, 2017 (9th Circuit).**

Dated: April 18, 2018

Respectfully submitted,



Brad Cunningham

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE OF TRUE COPY

I, BRADLY CUNNINGHAM, CERTIFY Defendant National Broadcasting Company AKA NBC Universal was served my Motion to Compel Discovery of First Set of Written Interrogatories 1-14 for NBC, and Affidavit of Bradly Cunningham, in CUNNINGHAM V. SONY et al., USDC NO. 3:17-cv-01686-SI, on April 18, 2018 by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, and addressed to:

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